

Religious Notices.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. H. W. Ballantine, Pastor. Public worship on the Sabbath at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday-school at 12 m. Sunday-school prayer-meeting, Sabbath, at 7 p. m. Weekly prayer-meeting, Thursday, at 7.45 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. Ezra D. S. Stone, Pastor. Sunday services: Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday-school at 12 m. The Lord's Supper on the first Sabbath of each month, close of morning service. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening, Young People's meeting, Tuesday evening at 7.45 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. Albert Mann, Jr., Pastor. Sunday services: Preaching, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday-school at 12 m. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7.45 p. m. Class meetings, Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7.45 o'clock.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Front Street, corner Franklin. Rev. S. W. Duffield, Pastor. Sabbath services, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school, 12 m. Weekly prayer meeting at 8 o'clock each Thursday evening, in Chapel parlor.

CHRIST CHURCH (Episcopal).—Liberty street. Rev. W. G. Farrington, D. D., Rector. Morning service, 10.30 o'clock. Second service, 7.30 p. m. except first Sunday in month, when it is at 3.45 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m.

HOPKINS CHURCH.—Sunday school every Sabbath at 10.30 a. m. John H. Broughton, Superintendent.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART.—Rev. J. M. Nardello, Pastor. First mass, 8.30 a. m. High mass, 10.30 a. m. Vespers, 3 p. m. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

BREKIDLE UNION SABBATH SCHOOL.—Held in Berkeley School-house, Bloomfield avenue, every Sunday at 3 p. m. John A. Skinner, Superintendent. All are welcome.

WATKINS CHURCH.—Rev. J. K. Egbert, Pastor. Sunday services: Preaching, 10.30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. Class meeting Tuesday evening at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 p. m. Children's class for religious instruction Saturday at 3 p. m.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—(Watkinson). Rev. James P. Falconer, Rector. Service, Sunday 10.45 a. m., 7.45 p. m. Sunday school, at 3.30 a. m. Seats free. All are invited.

GERMAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. John M. Enslin, Pastor. Hours of service, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school 2 p. m. Prayer meeting, Tuesday evening, at 7.45.

REFORMED CHURCH (Brookdale).—Rev. William G. E. See, Pastor. Sabbath service 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school, 9 a. m. E. G. Day, Superintendent. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

SILVER LAKE.—Sabbath school held every Sunday, in the hall, at 3 p. m. Mr. Herbert Smith, Superintendent. Gospel meeting every Sabbath evening at 7.30 o'clock. Prayer and Conversational meeting, Wednesday evening.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—(Bloomfield Ave.).—Sunday services: Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Rev. Mr. Furr. Sabbath school 3 p. m. E. A. Smith, Sup't. Preaching 7.30 p. m. Rev. J. H. Cooley

at 8 p. m. in the lecture room of Westminster Presbyterian Church, for the purpose of studying the Sunday School lesson for the next Sabbath. All interested in the study of the Scriptures will be cordially welcomed.

Absent Friends.

I live with my friends and love them

Although they are far away;

The joy of their speaking presence

Hallows each passing day.

I see their faces and greet them

At morning, noon and eve;

I gather their best thoughts about me

And mine around them weave.

Friendship ignites all distance,

At long outwearth time,

The features of those we love best

Are with us in every clime.

There is no death of affection;

Unceasing and sweet and clear

Is the chime in my soul repeating,

"The absent are ever near."

WOODMONT, CONN. FEB., 1886. K. F.

Glen Ridge Sunday School.

In the course of my Sunday afternoon wanderings, I visited the Glen Ridge Sunday-school, and was made very welcome by the Superintendent and teachers. The school was started in June, 1884, numbering thirteen scholars, and was held at the house of Mrs. John Graham for seven months, when it became necessary to find larger accommodations, and Mr. Henry Benson kindly offering his mill, the services have since been held in that place.

The school has grown steadily and now numbers fifty scholars and nine teachers. The latter represent members of the Congregational, Episcopal and Methodist churches of Montclair, and the Presbyterian and Westminster churches of Bloomfield.

Plans are now on foot for the erection of a Sunday-school building and the ladies are working hard to raise the necessary money.

Such a good work cannot fail to receive the support and encouragement of all interested in mission work. A large class of people living between Glen Ridge and Montclair are thus enabled to give their little ones the benefit of religious instruction, who otherwise would be kept at home, or allowed to run the streets, on account of the distance from the churches. We cannot but wish these ladies every success in their good work.

A VISITOR.

To The Citizen:

One of your readers is much pleased that you have so far lost your fear of being called "pessimistic" as to dare call attention to some of the evils under which Bloomfield is suffering. The editorial entitled "The Administration of Justice" in THE CITIZEN of Feb. 13, is a case in point. If now THE CITIZEN will occasionally allow its glance to wander beyond the confines of its native town, and become acquainted with the facts that our whole country is suffering in the same way from the dominion of the money power it may do a little towards averting the coming ruin.

If also it will be a little nearer exactness in its poetical quotations it will jar a little less on our nerves. Unless Goldsmith's "Deserted Village" has been over and over again misquoted, instead of

"Woe to that land, to suffering ill a prey,
Where wealth accumulates and men decay,"

we shall have

"I'll curse the land, to hastening ill a prey,
Where wealth accumulates and men decay."

Hoping you may continue to increase and multiply, I am, very respectfully,

A READER.

The Rhyme of the Toboggan.

Toboggan! Toboggan! Thou barbarous word,
Thou thing of strange beauty made out of a board.
Thou queen of the snows, when the wintry wind
blows,
With hearts throbbing wildly, and cheeks like
the rose.

Toboggan! Thy pleasure is something like this:
One treads to the summit of dearly won bliss;
Though breathless and worn he can scarcely
await
His turn to glide back to his former low state.

Tis a curious feature of struggling humanity;
It strives to escape the world's weary insanity.
While some struggle upward at infinite cost
The others glide down knowing well what is lost.

Therein lies the reason why life is worth living;
The moments of pleasure our efforts are giving;
We toil to our death in the fervent belief
That the summit hath something to give us relief.

Minneapolis Tribune

LITERARY NOTES.

—A vest-pocket edition of "Don't" is nearly ready for publication. It will be printed with red lines, neatly bound in cloth flexible, and the size will permit it to be carried in any small pocket. A few notes have been added to the text, and some slight changes made.

—Mrs. Sarah K. Bolton has the permission of Jean Ingelow to write a sketch of her for an American magazine. The first time Miss Ingelow has permitted this. She also contributes aid to Mrs. Bolton, sending her material of a very interesting character.

—A work that is being looked forward to with considerable interest in London, and which may be assured of a wide reading in America, is a volume of theatrical and social reminiscences by Mrs. Bancroft, the English actress. A long acquaintance with the most prominent actors, and a participation in many of the social events of London within the past fifteen years at least, afford Mrs. Bancroft a wealth of interesting material to compile a most entertaining book.

—Mr. Routledge, the London publisher, says his firm prints 600,000 books in a year, and binds 4,000,000. During a period of eighteen months they have sold 40,000 copies of "Robinson Crusoe." It is the best selling book that they have, although "Monte Cristo" sells nearly as well. Of course these are cheap editions. Among the poets Longfellow leads. The figures for him are 6,000 copies. Next comes Scott with 2,700, and then Byron with 2,380. Of Rogers only 32 copies were sold, and of Keats only 40.

—An item is now current among the newspapers to the effect that 500,000 of "Ben Hur" have been sold! This piece of gross exaggeration is a type of an immense deal of prevalent overstatement in regard to the circulation of books, and of, indeed, almost all things in relation to which figures are employed. "Ben Hur" has been a remarkable success, but no book in general literature has ever, we think we are safe in saying, reached the sale attributed to this book. If we drop a cipher and say 50,000, we shall doubtless be nearer the facts in the case.

—The Askor Library was used last year by 72,584 readers, as against 29,057 in 1884.

—A bronze, in bas-relief, by a Boston artist has recently been made by Miss Louise M. Alcott.

—Scribner's "Book Buyer," for February, contains an excellent portrait of Mrs. Francis Hodgson Burnett. The same number gives a sketch of Mrs. Burnett's method in literary work. An exhaustive review of Major Greeley's "Three Years of Arctic Service," from the pen of Charles P. Daly, President of the American Geographical Society, is an attractive feature of the same number.

—The title of Frank R. Stockton's new work of fiction, now in the press of Charles Scribner's Sons, is "The Late Mrs. Null."

—Rev. H. R. Haweis, musical critic to the Pall Mall Gazette, has canceled his former connection with Truth.

—T. P. O'Connor says that Justin McCarthy's "History of Our Own Times" has netted the author about \$30,000; and that the Harpers, who send him an occasional instalment of a few hundred pounds on account of its sale in this country, tell him they could have afforded to give him \$50,000 for the exclusive publication of the work, if it could have been copyrighted in the United States.

—The enterprising Bruntano Brothers, of Union Square, N. Y. have commenced with the present year, a neatly printed literary monthly that promises to cover a different field than any other periodical devoted to literature. "Book Chat" will embrace paragraphic reviews of American books issued each month. It will also include biographical sketches of living authors and selections from new books. The most valuable feature of "Book Chat" is its "Magazine Leaders." This department will give each month the subject of the principal articles in all the important American and English magazines, and reviews indexed under the subject-word of the title.

—Messrs. D. Appleton & Co. have published a new edition in a single volume of "The Life and Teachings of Our Lord, in Verse," by Dr. Abraham Coles, and it has been very highly commended in certain quarters. John Bright, to whom a copy was sent, was warm in its praise, as the following note sufficiently indicates:

"When I began your book," he writes to the author, "I thought you had attempted to gild the refined gold and would fail. As I proceeded in my reading that idea gradually disappeared, and I discovered that you had brought the refined gold together in a manner convenient and useful and deeply interesting. I have read the volume, with all its notes, many of which seem to me of great value. In the verse there are many fine lines, and not a few noble passages. I could envy you the learning and the industry that have enabled you to produce this remarkable work." [Signed]

—Adolph Christiani's treatise on "The Principles of Expression in Pianoforte

Playing" (Harpers) is a work which commands itself to scholarly musicians. It is not necessary to be a pianist in order to enjoy it. It is so broad, thorough, and comprehensive, so sage, original, and enlightened, that every intelligent reader will appreciate its value. The author writes of music as Hamerton writes of painting, or Sidney Lanier of poetry; with a philosophic understanding of its province, its spirit and its laws. While treating it technically, he has the ability to preserve its charm, and to invest with a lively attraction what in other hands might prove the driest details. It is an intellectual treat to follow his exposition of the principles which govern the rendition of piano-forte music. He demonstrates them consecutively and clearly, and as parts of a system which is complete and symmetrical. His treatment removes expression in piano-forte playing equally from the domain of the mechanical and the emotional, and subjects it to simple and rational rules which remain ever the same and ever within the control of the intelligent performer. Mr. Christiani possesses literary as well as musical culture, and his book is written in excellent style.

—Mr. F. N. Moffat of Bloomfield, has just issued an "Elite Directory and Blue Book of Newark, N. J. for 1886." A few inaccuracies may be traced by careful examination of the volume, but, for the most part, the book is creditable for correct addresses and general appearance. The aim of the editor has been to make a book that will be Newark what the Elite Directory of New York is to the ladies of that city, and he has succeeded in his aim. The book can be procured by addressing P. O. Box 301 Bloomfield, New Jersey. Price \$1.50.

—A new volume of poems by Dr. William Henry Furness of Philadelphia; a new edition of "The Voyage of the Jeanette"; a volume of the lectures of Rev. Joseph Cook, to which the title "Orient" will be given; a collection of Mr. John Burroughs' papers on out-of-door life, "Signs and Seasons," and an important work on Japanese art, "The Pictorial Arts of Japan," which will be illustrated by eighty large plates and a number of small engravings, are included in the list of announcements of Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co.

—The many friends of the lamented Mrs. Helen Jackson, and all who have had the delight of reading her incomparable story, "Romans," will be glad to learn that a posthumous story by her is published. Mrs. Jackson was writing this story when her fatal sickness seized her, and one of her last acts was its hasty completion before sending the MS. to her publishers, Messrs. Roberts Brothers. "Zen" is a story of frontier life in Colorado.

—Prof. Seely, of the University of Cambridge, England, the author of "Ecco Homo," has written "A Short History of Napoleon the First," and as it is well known that Prof. Seely has for years made a study of the subject, his book will be looked for with interest. A likeness of Napoleon of unusual interest, from a portrait painted by Boilly, accompanies the book, also two views of his head, from a cast taken after death. Roberts Brothers are the publishers.

Staten Island Bridge.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Whereas, Information has reached the Legislature that a bill has been introduced into Congress providing for the erection of a bridge or viaduct over the navigable waters separating this State from the State of New York where the tide ebbs and flows, which, if made, will be contrary to a statute of this State entitled "A Supplement to an Act Respecting Bridges," approved April 10, 1846, and which supplement was approved April 5, 1878; and

Whereas, The lands under the said waters are the property of the State of New Jersey to the middle thereof by original acquisition by the Colony of New Jersey, and by the subsequent treaty with the State of New York, dated September 16, 1833, ratified and confirmed by act of Congress passed June 28, 1834; and

Whereas, It hath been declared and decided by the Supreme Court of the United States that "the right of eminent domain over the shores and the soil under the navigable waters, for all municipal purposes, belongs exclusively to the States within their respective territorial jurisdictions, and they only have the constitutional power to exercise it; that inspection laws form a portion of that immense mass of legislation which embraces everything within the territory of a State, not surrendered to the General Government—in inspection laws, quarantine laws, health laws of every description, as well as laws for regulating the internal commerce of a State, and those which respect turnpike roads, ferries, etc., are component parts of this mass; and that 'bridges are of the same nature with ferries, and are undoubtedly within the category thus laid down'; and

Whereas, The Judiciary of the State of New York as well as other States has solemnly asserted this doctrine, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Assembly, the Senate concurring:

1. That the State of New Jersey do hereby solemnly and respectfully protest against any action on the part of the Congress of the United States, by statute or otherwise, having for its object the erection of a bridge over said navigable waters, as being beyond the powers conferred by the constitution of the United States, and a usurpation of a power belonging, so far as its own territory extends, to the State of New Jersey.

2. That while in nowise denying the power of Congress to regulate commerce by directing the manner in which such a bridge, if duly authorized by the States of New Jersey and New York, should be erected, and providing that it do not obstruct navigation. Yet the State of New Jersey distinctly takes the position that the erection of such a bridge can only be authorized by said States of New York and New Jersey.

3. That the attempt to legalize such a bridge in advance of its construction—by enacting that it shall be a post-road,

is an evident subterfuge, and should be rejected as an attempt to establish a precedent under which all exclusive powers of the States may be set at naught.

4. That in aid of this, her protest, New Jersey invokes the sympathy of all her sister States in the maintenance of the doctrine of established and acknowledged State rights—only through preserving those rights and the powers of the General Government just equips, can the nation we compose continue her happy and beneficent career.

5. That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to our Senators and Representatives, with the request that they be presented to Congress, and that they use their utmost endeavors to defeat any bill such as that referred to.

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Bloomfield Savings Institution.

Abstract from Annual Report to the Secretary of State, dated January 1, 1886.

ASSETS.
Loans on Bond and Mortgage, \$63,989.22
Loans on Collateral security, 1,050.00
U. S. Bonds, (market value), 19,650.00
Interest due and accrued, 2,283.19
Cash on hand and in Bank, 8,301.85
\$95,267.26

LIABILITIES.
Due Depositors, including Interest to date, 88,539.98

Surplus, \$6,727.28

The above is a true and correct statement of the condition of the Bloomfield Savings Institution on the first day of January, 1886.

JOS. K. OAKES, Vice President.
THOS. C. DODD, Treasurer.

WM. H. WHITE, M. D. JOHN F. FOLGOM, Auditing Committee.

AMER. W. BALDWIN, LEWIS W. DODD.

Interest is credited to depositors every six months (on the first day of January and July), for the three and six months preceding; which interest, if not withdrawn, itself bears interest from those dates; and all deposits made on or before the first business day in January, April, July and October, bear interest from those dates respectively.

NEWARK, N. J. Oct. 24, 1885.

STATE OF MARYLAND, DECEASED.

Pursuant to Order of JOSEPH L. MUNN, Surrogate of the County of Essex, this day made, on the application of the undersigned Administratrix with the Will annexed of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within the time specified in this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

MARTHA M. BROWN.

Season of 1885-86.

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RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

(Corrected to date.)

Del., Lack. & Western Railroad.

LEAVE BLOOMFIELD FOR NEW YORK:

(Glenwood Avenue Station.)

6.08, 7.19, 7.56, 8.32, 9.19, 10.39, 11.39

A. M. 12.46, 1.45, 3.35, 4.44, 5.29,

6.15, 6.59, 8.20, 9.45, 11.10, P. M.,

12.39 A. M.

NOTE.—Leave Glen Ridge 2 minutes earlier, Watkinson 3 minutes later than time given above.

LEAVE NEW YORK FOR BLOOMFIELD:

(Barclay St. Ferry.)

6.30, 7.20, 8.10, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M.

12.40, 2.10, 3.40, 4.20, 4.50, 5.30,

6.20, 7.00, 8.30, 10.00, 11.30 P. M.

"Does not stop at Newark."

Leave Christopher St. 5 minutes later.

LEAVE NEWARK FOR BLOOMFIELD:

6.40, 7.15, 7.55, 8.43, 9.03, 11.03,

11.53 A. M. 1.13, 2.44, 4.13, 5.26,

6.03, 6.53, 7.40, 9.03, 10.38, 12.08 P. M.

N. Y. & Greenwood Lake R. R.

LEAVE BLOOMFIELD FOR NEW YORK:

(Station on Belleville Avenue.)

5.38, 7.06, 7.59, 8.45, 10.56, A. M. 1.38,

3.51, 4.54, 7.14 P. M. Saturday only, 10.08

P. M. On Sunday: 8.06 A. M. 5.32 P. M.

LEAVE NEW YORK, FOOT OF CHAMBERS ST.:

6.00, 8.50, 12.00, 3.40, 4.40, 5.40,

6.20, 8.00 P. M. Saturday only, 12.00 P. M.

Sunday Trains: 8.45 A. M. 6.45 P. M.

Sunday Tr. by Orange Branch, 1.30 5.45

6.45 9.15 P. M., stop on Signal.

Connecting Bosta leave TWENTY-THIRD ST. FERRY 15 minutes earlier than time given for Chambers St.

ORANGE BRANCH TO NEW YORK.

(Stops on Signal, Bloomfield Av. Crossing)

5.38 7.06 7.59 8.45 10.54 A. M. 1.38

4.53 6.49 7.55 Sunday Special, 10.10

A. M.; 5.10 7.40 P. M.

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